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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS mailed on April 23, 2002 enclosed are (9) nine sheets of formal drawings including Fig 8 for the above case by its Serial Number and filing date, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84, and a copy of the Notice. Accordingly, the above-identified patent application is now complete.

Respectfully submitted,

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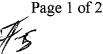
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## Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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The following item(s) appear to have been omitted from the application:

- Figure(s) Fig. 8 described in the specification.
- I. Should applicant contend that the above-noted omitted item(s) was in fact deposited in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with the nonprovisional application papers, a copy of this Notice and a petition (and \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h))) with evidence of such deposit must be filed within TWO MONTHS of the date of this Notice. The petition fee will be refunded if is determined that the item(s) was received by the USPTO.
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